



MICHIGAN
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HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH POLICY

Tuesday, February 23rd, 2016 9:00 a.m. Room 519 House Office Building

Representative Callton, Chair, called the meeting to order.

Chair Callton requested attendance be called to establish a quorum of the appointed committee members:

Present: Reps. Callton, Vaupel, Hooker, Yonker, Graves, Hughes, Kesto, VerHeulen, Bizon, Chatfield, Crawford, Garcia, Tedder, Darany, Brinks, Cochran, Phelps, Geiss, Liberati, Neeley, and Wittenberg.

Absent: None.

Excused: None.

Representative Vaupel moved to approve the minutes from the February 16th, 2016 meeting.

There being no objection, the motion was approved by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid SB 592 before the committee:

SB 592 (Hertel) Health facilities; other; designated places to perform surgical removal of a human organ; expand.

The following people submitted testimony cards in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Canan Garrison, representing the Michigan Association of Funeral Directors.

Frank Waters, representing the Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs.

Bruce Nicely, representing Gift of Life Michigan.

Representative Graves offered the following amendment:

1. Amend page 2, line 26, by striking out all of enacting section 1.

Representative Graves explained his amendment.

Representative Vaupel moved to adopt the amendment for SB 592. The motion prevailed by a vote of 14-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Callton, Vaupel, Hooker, Yonker, Graves, Hughes, VerHeulen, Bizon, Chatfield, Garcia, Tedder, Brinks, Cochran, and Liberati.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative Brinks moved to report SB 592 with recommendation, as substitute (H-1). The motion prevailed by a vote of 14-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Callton, Vaupel, Hooker, Yonker, Graves, Hughes, VerHeulen, Bizon, Chatfield, Garcia, Tedder, Brinks, Cochran, and Liberati.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

The Chair laid SB 374, SB 375, SB 376, SB 377, SB 378, SB 379, SB 380, and SB 381 before the committee:

SB 374	(Hertel)	Health; code; references to venereal disease; revise to sexually transmitted infection.
SB 375	(MacGregor)	Health; code; references of venereal disease; revise to sexually transmitted infection.
SB 376	(Knezek)	Health; code; references of venereal disease; revise to sexually transmitted infection.
SB 377	(Schmidt)	Health; code; references of venereal disease; revise to sexually transmitted infection.
SB 378	(O'Brien)	Health; code; references of venereal disease; revise to sexually transmitted infection.
SB 379	(Warren)	Health; code; references of venereal disease; revise to sexually transmitted infection.
SB 380	(Marleau)	Health; code; references of venereal disease; revise to sexually transmitted infection.
SB 381	(Young)	Health; code; references of venereal disease; revise to sexually transmitted infection.

Senator Hertel testified in support of the bills.

Karla Ruest, representing the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, submitted a testimony card in support of the bills, but did not wish to speak.

The Chair laid the committee at ease, the time being 9:11 a.m.

The Chair called the committee back to order, the time being 9:16 a.m.

The Chair laid HB 5182, HB 5183, HB 5184, HB 5185, HB 5186, HB 5187, and HB 5188 before the committee:

HB 5182	(Howrylak)	Education; special; certain language in Michigan school for the deaf act; update.
HB 5183	(Bizon)	Disabilities; other; reference to "hearing impaired" and "division on deafness"; revise.
HB 5184	(Runestad)	Disabilities; other; reference to "hearing impaired" in division on deafness act; revise to "deaf, deafblind, and hard of hearing".
HB 5185	(Price)	Crimes; definitions; reference to "deaf and dumb"; eliminate from statute.
HB 5186	(Brinks)	Disabilities; other; reference to "hearing impaired" regarding certain limited teaching certificates; revise to "hard of hearing".
HB 5187	(Darany)	Public employees and officers; duties; provision relating to the transfer of books and materials to successors; modify to remove obsolete language.
HB 5188	(Phelps)	Disabilities; other; reference to "hearing impaired" in division on deafness act; revise to "deaf, deafblind, and hard of hearing".

Representative Howrylak testified in support of the bills.

Annie Urasky, representing the Michigan Department of Civil Rights, Division on Deaf, DeafBlind, and Hard of Hearing, testified in support of the bills.

Dr. Michael McKee, representing the Deaf, DeafBlind, and Hard of Hearing, and Kathleen Mitchell, representing Deaf, Community Advocacy Network, testified in support of the bills. Questions and discussion followed.

Liz Kobylak, representing the Hearing Loss Association of America- Michigan, testified in support of the bills. Questions and discussion followed.

Ann Liming, representing the Hearing Loss Association of America- Michigan, testified in support of the bills.

The following people submitted testimony cards in support of the bills, but did not wish to speak:

Barney Morrison.

Anson Mitchell.

Karla Ruest, representing the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services.

Freida Morrison, representing the Michigan School for the Deaf Alumni Association.

Cami Pendell, representing the Deaf and Hearing Impaired Services.

Kevin Morrison.

Millie Hursin.

Kat Vogtmannm, representing the Michigan Deaf Association.

Allan Wachendorfer, representing the National Association of Social Workers of Michigan.

Marcy Colton, representing the Deaf Community Advocacy Network.

Dylan Becord.
Susan Lundy.
Marika Bleenwrick.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting,
the time being 10:01 a.m.

Representative Callton, Chair

Matthew Carnagie
Committee Clerk
February 23rd, 2016
61 minutes

Date Approved and Signed